

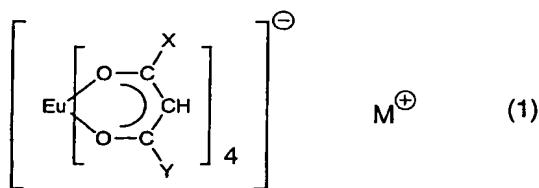
**English translation of whole Claims
reflecting
Art. 34 PCT Amendment**

Remarks:

**By the Art. 34 PCT Amendment, as shown below:
the original Claims 1 and 2 were amended;
the original Claim 9 was deleted.
(the original Claims 3-8 were unamended)**

CLAIMS

1. (Amended) An aqueous ink composition comprising a europium compound (A) represented by the following formula (1), a binder (B) and an aqueous medium (C):



wherein X represents a benzene cyclic group, a naphthalene cyclic group, a pyridine cyclic group or a thiophene cyclic group which may have a substituent, Y represents a fluorinated hydrocarbon group having 1 to 10 carbon atoms and M represents an alkali metal or an alkali earth metal.

2. (Amended) The aqueous ink composition according to Claim 1, wherein X is a benzene cyclic group or a thiophene cyclic group.

3. The aqueous ink composition according to Claim 1 or 2, wherein Y is a trifluoromethyl group.

4. The aqueous ink composition according to any one of

Claims 1 to 3, wherein M is an alkali metal.

5. The aqueous ink composition according to any one of Claims 1 to 4, wherein (B) is a water-soluble high-molecular compound.

6. The aqueous ink composition according to Claim 5, wherein (B) is polyvinyl alcohol, modified polyvinyl alcohol or a polymer having a cyclic amide group in a molecular structure.

7. The aqueous ink composition according to any one of Claims 1 to 6, wherein the content of (A) is 0.1 to 4% by weight, the content of (B) is 0.1 to 15% by weight and the content of (C) is 73.5 to 99.8% by weight.

8. A colored body treated with the aqueous ink composition as claimed in any one of Claims 1 to 7.

9. (Deleted)